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### NO MONOPOLY.

Wireless Companies Must Receive and Distribute Any Messages Offered Them.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Sept. 1.—Wireless telegraph companies are common carriers and must receive from any source and transmit to any destination all messages offered to them.

This conclusion, which forestalls any monopoly, was reached by the Berlin international conference, and was the gist of the only important resolution adopted at its session, which lasted nine days. Germany, Great Britain, France, Russia, Austria, Hungary, Spain and the United States participated.

On August 14th the congress adopted a protocol of eight articles as the ground work of a general treaty, all of them being of minor interest except the following: "Coast stations are expected to receive and transmit telegrams without distinction as to the system of wireless telegraphy employed by the ships."

Under this rule "radiograms," as wireless telegrams were termed at the conference, are to be placed in the category of merchandise and "radiogram" corporations as common carriers compelled

to co-operate in delivering them at their destination.

Other sections of the protocol relate to definitions, to minor details and to extending the rules of the St. Petersburg telegraphic convention to which the United States is not a party, to wireless communications.

The congress dealt solely with pacific conditions, recognizing that each nation would take care of its own wireless messages in time of war.

### DAWSON NEWS.

Treadgold Commission to Visit Creeks—J. Clarke Denounces Conservatives.

(Special to the Times.)

Dawson, Sept. 1.—The Treadgold commission goes to the creeks on Thursday. The evidence so far has shown a great need for water on the various creeks. The feeling is that the water grant is all right, but the grant of claims in return to Treadgold, bad.

Joseph Clarke, Yukon councillor, has made a great smash in Conservative circles. His attempt to seize the Conservative machine has caused the party to repudiate him. Clarke then wrote an open letter to the press, in which he denounced the Conservatives and declared himself a Socialist.

## TREGEAR VEIN IS PROMISING WELL

PROVES WIDER THAN AT FIRST EXPECTED

Government Assay of Sample From Face —Tye Mine is Giving Excellent Results.

The discovery at the Lenora mine of a deposit which promises to exceed everything hitherto located in Mt. Sicker camp has an important bearing, not alone on the property directly interested, but on the whole camp. Mr. Sicker has in the past attracted far too little attention. It is doubtful whether any other camp in the province offers better inducements to investors than Mt. Sicker. Yet Mr. Sicker and Breton have been only indifferently prospected, as is evidenced by the location of such a rich surface find as that recently discovered on the Lenora.

The pioneer work at the camp has been done and the present need is the introduction of capital to develop properties which are now lying latent. On both mountains there are many of these upon



Schist Dividing the Tregear Vein.

Mr. Tregear has given eminent satisfaction while in charge. The cessation of work in the mine for a considerable time made it necessary to do a vast amount of work for no return when operations were resumed. In spite of this, and the fact that the ore bodies in this work had to be done were low grade, the Lenora during the month of July gave a profit.

The low grade ore in the old workings will continue to be worked, while the new bodies in the same workings are being developed. Following this the grade

radically improved and heavy rails have been laid in the place of the light ones formerly used. This work is being continued up the mountain side. On the higher portions the rock is being blasted out so as to take some of the sharpest curves out of the line. Already several miles of road bed in consequence vastly improved. When this has been completed the heavy rails already distributed along the line will be laid.

Everything about the Lenora works give evidence of unbounded faith in the property on the part of those interested in the operating of it. This was impressed on a Times reporter, who visited the mountain a few days ago.

At present the Lenora is shipping about 150 tons of ore a day to Crofton. With the further developments this will be increased very materially.

The Tye mine, which kept up a steady output for so long, is working in a very regular body of ore.

The mine is shipping about 150 tons a day, at an average of about 5 per cent. copper. But in common with other Mt. Sicker properties the ore carries good values in gold and silver, which materializes in increasing the returns. The Tye ore runs about \$4 or \$5 in the precious metals.

The smelter at Ladysmith is receiving about half of its daily supply from the Tye, the remainder being made up from outside shipments and elsewhere. The output from the Mt. Sicker property will, it is expected, be increased within a short time. A new cable has been ordered for the new tramway, which runs from the mine to the smelter. When this arrives the number of buckets will probably be increased and the shipments correspondingly augmented.

The Ladysmith smelter is producing a carload of matte a day. The Tye is giving splendid returns, and affords an example of what the camp is capable of when backed by a strong corporation. The English capital which is behind the Tye has afforded the necessary auxiliary to the local parties, who are interested to make the property a first-class copper producer and give those interested a good return for their investment. Other properties in the camp are awaiting the same in order to give excellent results.

The Tye company have equipped their mine with all the necessary machinery to carry on the work, thus doing away with the necessity of transportation up the mountain. A sawmill capable of turning out all the lumber necessary for the mines in the group is operated, and an abundance of excellent timber is found close at hand to meet all the requirements.

Higher up the mountain the Richard III. property is being developed. The shareholders in it are mostly residents of Vancouver, and include several who are also interested in the Tye. The company is showing excellent spirit in their work. Under the management of Mr. Russell, the shaft has been sunk to a depth of about 450 feet. At the same time they have drifted about eight or nine hundred feet. The property is over three hundred feet above the Tye, and in consequence those interested are not expecting to get the best results until they reach the levels which have given the good returns in the latter mine.

Some ore has been taken out by Manager Breton, and is now on the dump. It assays about 10 per cent. copper and \$7 in gold and silver.

Above the property a dam has been built, which checks a flow of water about the spring, and in consequence makes the mine perfectly dry. The necessary

Manager Tregear in New Lenora Vein.

which prospectors with abundant faith in the future of the properties have expended very considerable sums of money. Enough has been done on many of these to prove that they are destined to become rich producers of copper. These await the influx of capital to more fully develop the resources of the properties.

Two large smelters, the Northwestern at Crofton and the Tye at Ladysmith, are dependent upon the camp for their main supply of ore to continue operations. There is estimated to be a daily greater supply in the mountains than the smelters could handle with their present capacity.

The Tregear vein on the Lenora property continues to show up well. Late reports from the camp give the information that the width of ore at first exposed has been augmented. What appeared at first as a diorite wall has been displaced and was found to be but a body of that formation which had become deposited in the vein. Its removal revealed another three feet of vein rich in borate.

Those interested in the property have become so impressed with the prospects of the lead that they have decided to make a thorough inspection of the surface showing on the property, with the object in view of discovering exactly what they have on the Lenora.

It is not alone the new find which promises well for this mine. In the old tunnels Manager Tregear is developing new workings, which give excellent promise.

Breen & Bellinger made a happy choice when they secured Nicholas Tregear to take charge of the Lenora. He was not unknown to them at the time, having been in charge of the Le Roi when J. Breen was connected with the Northport smelter. Manager Tregear earned for himself an enviable reputation at that time by locating the ore body and making the Le Roi a paying proposition. It was thus with full confidence in his ability that Breen & Bellinger gave him charge of Mt. Sicker property when the operations at the Lenora came under that company's control.

water for the machinery is drawn from this. Wooden pipes also convey from the dam a stream of water to supply the Tye mine.

At the Key City below the Lenora there has been a vast amount of development work done. Work is suspended at present, Capt. Watson having gone to California to secure machinery to still further exploit the mine.

On Mt. Breton the Corporation Company, composed of Nanaimo capitalists, are steadily working. On the Copper King, belonging to their group, they have reached a depth of 50 feet, and are getting excellent returns. Manager Munro, of the company, has taken up his residence there, and is superintending the operations. The ore resembles that found on the Lenora and the Tye, and there is every reason to expect that their mine will give excellent returns.

The same is true of the Copper Canyon group at the base of the mountain. These properties only await capital to fully develop them and make the Mt. Sicker camp one of the greatest copper producing in the Northwest.

The accompanying half-tones illustrate the Tregear vein. In one of them is shown a group of visitors who last week inspected the property in company with Manager Tregear and J. S. H. Matson. That party included Wm. Wilson, Lawrence Goodacre and Roland Macdonald, and a Times man. In the other half-tones the vein is shown, together with its location, N. Tregear. The manager has taken up his position at a half-tones wall of about a foot and a half in width, which divides the vein. The vein extends on either side of where he stands to a little beyond the area taken in by the picture. The iron capping which first attracted Mr. Tregear's interest and led to the discovery of the vein is a little to the right of where he stands.

An assay has been made at the government assay office yesterday of a sample from ore taken across the face of the vein by the party which visited it last Thursday.

The sample included rock matter and copper pyrites, and gave the following assay per ton: Gold, 0.22 ounces; silver, 8.3 ounces; copper 15.5 per cent. This assay made by the department of mines leaves no room for doubt as to its being correct. The values reported in this are very gratifying, reaching about \$50 to the ton.

### GOLD IN LARDEAU.

Another Rich Discovery and Stampede at Once Started—Trout Lake City Is Deserted.

(Special to the Times.)

Trout Lake City, Sept. 1.—Wm. Davis made an important discovery yesterday of free gold quartz, and after staking several claims brought to this town lumps of quartz glistening with yellow nuggets.

The sight of these caused tremendous excitement and a stampede immediately started up the mountain. Trout Lake City, which has a population of two hundred, is deserted. Men, women and children started out and made a camp as close as to the spot to stake claims at daylight.

The scene of the discovery is three miles east of the lake in the direction of Ferguson, where the Nettie L. Silver Cup and others are located. It is in direct line with Poplar Creek.

### LIBERALS ENTHUSIASTIC.

Successful Meetings at Ymir and Fernie—W. R. Ross a Candidate.

(Special to the Times.)

Nelson, Sept. 1.—Ymir Liberals held their first meeting of the campaign on Saturday night at Ymir when Alfred Parr, the candidate, addressed a crowded and enthusiastic meeting for an hour and a half. Harry Wright, the Conservative nominee, refused an invitation to be present. Over one-third of the registered voters of Ymir were present, and all joined in an ovation to Mr. Parr at the conclusion of his address.

Fernie Conservatives have nominated W. R. Ross, barrister, to oppose R. T. Smith, the Liberal candidate. The Liberals held the first mass meeting there last night. Duncan Ross, Liberal organizer; Dr. King, Liberal candidate in Cranbrook; and Alfred Parr, Liberal candidate in Ymir, addressed the meeting, which was large and a great success.

### THE BIGAMY CASE.

Mrs. Stewart Gets One Hour's Imprisonment and J. T. Byrle One Day in Jail.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Sept. 1.—Mrs. J. W. Stewart, of Victoria, was sentenced to one hour's imprisonment, and J. T. Byrle, whom she married in Vancouver in June, to one day in jail, by Magistrate Russell yesterday on a bigamy charge. The magistrate declared that Stewart had no husband, and respect for neither his wife, or family. In letters submitted in evidence he boasted of infidelity. The accused were adjudged guilty but sentenced to as light a punishment as possible.

### NOT WANTED.

Peru Deputies Would Prohibit Landing of Members of Religious Orders Expelled From France.

(Associated Press.)

Lima, Peru, Sept. 1.—A motion has been submitted in the chamber of deputies to prohibit the immigration into Peru of the members of those religious orders which were expelled from France.

## YACHT RACE HAS BEEN POSTPONED

NO ATTEMPT MADE TO BRING OFF CONTEST

Lack of Wind Responsible for the Delay —It Will Probably Be Sailed To-Morrow.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 1.—As an event in yachting, the international races have become a prolongation of an agony all wish to see ended. The interest which remained after the first race between Reliance and Shamrock III, has gradually disappeared with each succeeding attempt to race.

The decided superiority of Reliance over Shamrock, demonstrated in the two races that have been sailed, has left no doubt in the minds of the world at large as to the better boat, and the consequent unsuccessful attempt to sail the third, and what is looked upon as surely the decisive race, is but suspense to the Shamrock's supporters.

Yesterday there were few private yachts to follow the hours over the course, the excursion fleet was little more than a small picnic party, while the bulletin boards about the city newspapers were almost deserted. The third race must be sailed, however, to carry out the articles of agreement, or deed of gift of the American cup.

The prospects at dawn for a race were very dubious. In a few hours the wind freshened and gave more encouragement. The wind was from all quarters. Three hours before the time set for the start the wind was about eight miles. The sea was still angry, from Sunday's storm, and the ground swell was much in evidence. There was every indication with the breeze from the northward that the yachts would be sent on a run to leeward and a heat home. About 8.15 the wind suddenly dropped to barely four miles velocity, a light fog set in, and it became apparent that unless a decided change took place a race was impossible. On both boats the usual morning preparations were made. At 9.25 the wind at Sandy Hook had dropped still further, and the anemometer recorded but two and a half miles.

Sir Thomas Lipton, on the Erin, said: "I don't think there can be a race. The very thick haze does not promise a good wind. It's too bad. We should get the thing over. I am needed at home on urgent business matters, and my present plan is to sail for England within two or three days after the completion of these races. In fact I ought to be there now, and every day's delay is injuring my business."

At 9.30 Reliance had started out of the Hook in tow, and a few minutes later Shamrock followed her for the starting line. By this time the haze at sea had thickened, and the breeze, shifting to the northwest, had become a mere zephyr.

The yachts held their bows until they reached the lightship. The committee boat reached the starting point about the same time, and made the usual preparations for starting a race. The wind was too soft and variable for the committee to decide on a course or the starting of a race, and thus the usual starting gun at 11 o'clock was postponed until later in the day in the hope that there would be an improvement in the weather conditions. The race, according to the rules, must be started before 1 o'clock, or the race declared off for the day. Later it was announced that the race had been declared off.

There will be a race to-morrow.

### RAILWAY DEBATE.

Will Be Concluded Before the House Adjourns To-Day.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—The debate on the resolutions regarding the transcontinental railway began three weeks ago; to-day it will be finished before the House adjourns. Mr. Fowler, of Kings, N.B., was the first speaker today. Hon. W. Patterson made a strong speech in favor of the railway.

### Mr. Borden's Illness.

R. L. Borden, who is suffering from an attack of rheumatism and threatened with bronchitis, was somewhat better to-day. He expects to be around again in the course of a week.

### Hearing Appeal.

The hearing of the appeal of the Canadian Pacific from the order of the railway committee of the Privy Council permitting the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon railway to cross their tracks in New Westminster, will be heard on the 12th inst. by the Governor-General-in-Council.

### In Session.

The American Veterinary Association is meeting here to-day.

### DOMINION RIFLE MEET.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—Good weather to-day favored the competing shots at the Dominion Rifle Association meet. In the Macdonald match Sergt. Ferris won \$5 and Capt. Duff Stuart \$4.

Steamer Princess Victoria left Vancouver at 2.15 and connected with the Eastern train.



Victoria Party at the Mine.



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ALBERT T. GOWARD,  
Local Manager.

## HEROIC ENGINEER SCALDED TO DEATH

### ENGINE COLLIDES WITH THE IMPERIAL LIMITED

#### Fireman Also Killed—Delegates of the Chambers of Commerce En Route West—Canadian Notes.

Grassett, Que., Aug. 31.—The Imperial Limited met with a very serious head-on collision three and a half miles west of Grassett at 8.30 o'clock this morning, caused by a light engine and caboose in charge of Conductor Charlebois, who overlooked the instructions and did not sidetrack, as directed, to allow the Limited to cross him. Fireman P. Moran, who started to jump from his engine, was caught between the engine and tender and instantly killed. Engineer McMahon stayed with his engine until he had reversed the machine and applied the air brakes. By that time it was too late to get clear, and when the large engine struck, Engineer McMahon was caught by one foot. His leg was scalded terribly from the effects of which he died at 2 o'clock this afternoon. All the passengers escaped injury with the exception of a few bruises. Conductor J. E. Laverie, who had charge of the Imperial Limited, was very anxious as to his passengers, showing them every possible care and attention. The passengers, feeling keenly for brave Engineer McMahon, who stuck so heroically to his post, and as some recognition took up a subscription of over one hundred and fifty dollars for the deceased hero's wife. The loss of property is not large. Four dining car employees were slightly scalded. Local officials now have auxiliary trains on the ground, and expect to clear the line by 5 o'clock this evening. The company's doctors, Corbett, of Winnipeg, and Pringle and Merrill, are in attendance.

**Protest Against Roblin.**  
Winnipeg, Aug. 31.—The Liberals have made a petition against the return of S. Walker, Winnipeg North, and Premier Roblin, Dufferin, and they ask for the disqualification of the Premier.

**Accidentally Shot.**  
John Smith, a blacksmith of Selkirk, is in a critical condition, having received a bullet in the thigh. He was cleaning a rusty revolver at the time of the accident.

**Tour of Inspection.**  
General Manager McNicoll and Assistant General Manager Mr. Leonard, of the C. P. R., have returned from a tour of inspection over the Western lines. Mr. McNicoll has been over the main line to Revelstoke and through the Arrowhead lakes, also visiting Edmonton. He states that the crop prospects are fully as good as last year, and the outlook for the future is bright. The weather has slightly retarded harvesting.

**Increased Crops.**  
Farmers in the northwest part of the province are jubilant over largely increased yields compared with what was anticipated. In the Dauphin district crops are the best in years, and wheat will go 39 to 45 bushels to the acre.

**Found Dead.**  
Indians have discovered the mutilated body of a Swedish prospector near the Indian reserve at Macleod, Saturday evening. There is no clue to identification. Both legs were cut off the body.

**Suicide.**  
Miss Sheardown, sister of S. Sheardown, a farmer near Hamula, Man., killed herself this afternoon in town. She rushed her head on the rail in front of an on-coming train and her head was severed from the body. She had been despondent of late.

**Fatally Injured.**  
Brakeman Wilson was fatally injured at Oak Bay River, Man., by falling from the car, fracturing his skull. His wife resides in Toronto.

**Against Captain.**  
Quebec, Aug. 31.—The Marine court has found a verdict against Captain Michael Sward, commander of the Manchester Trader, which went ashore on Anticosti on August 10th, and have sus-

ended his certificate for six months, but recommends that he be granted a certificate for first mate during the period of his suspension as master. The court attributes the grounding of the vessel to the wrongful act of Captain Sward in steering an improper course after receiving two convincing proofs that he was very much out of his reckoning.

**Killed By Train.**  
Toronto, Aug. 31.—Herbert Telfer was killed at Newbury-to-night, stepping of a train in front of a Grand Trunk express.

**A Settlement.**  
The litigation over the estate of the late E. H. Hyman, a wealthy miser, has been settled. Mrs. Hyman and a daughter in San Francisco got the bulk of the estate, which is estimated at \$65,000.

**No Free Lunch.**  
As Hamilton brewers have raised the price of beer to one dollar a barrel, the hotel-keepers of this city met on Saturday and decided to abolish the free lunch counter, and cut down the size of beer glasses from 20 to 16 ounces.

**Left For West.**  
About 50 delegates of the British Chambers of Commerce left here yesterday afternoon for Winnipeg and British Columbia points.

**New President.**  
Kingston, Ont., Aug. 31.—Ex-Mayor R. F. Elliott has been elected president of the Old Fellows' Mutual Relief Association of Canada, in succession of the late Dr. Fife Fowler.

**Fire Burned.**  
Windsor, Ont., Aug. 31.—The steamer Pittsburg, of the Georgian Bay Navigation Company, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss, \$50,000.

**BLOWN TO PIECES.**  
Locomotive Boiler Explodes—Fireman Was Instantly Killed.

**Baker City, Ore., Aug. 29.**—One of the big compound engines of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, pulling the through freight from the east into Weatherby, Ore., was almost blown to pieces by the explosion of the boiler, at 10 o'clock last night.

**Fireman Killed.**  
Fireman F. Gilman was killed instantly, and Engineer Gilman was so badly mangled that it is almost impossible for him to live. Conductor J. E. Connor escaped serious injury.

**The brakeman named Wade, a new man, is seriously injured.**

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## THE LATE LORD SALISBURY.

Remains Interred in Burial Ground of the Cecils at Hatfield.

London, Aug. 31.—The body of Lord Salisbury, who died on August 22nd, was interred to-day beside that of his wife in the burial ground of the Cecils at Hatfield. The arrangements were of the most private and simple character. All the children of the deceased were present, as were also Premier Balfour, Lord Selborne and a few intimate neighbors. Otherwise the mourners were made up from the dead statesman's tenants, retainers and inhabitants of Hatfield. The coffin was carried to and from the parish church by old servants.

**YUKON OATS.**  
A Large Crop Successfully Grown on Western Side of River.

"Sixty-five acres of oats are being moved on Hector A. Stewart's farm on the other side of the Yukon," says the Dawson News. "The owner estimates that he will secure 60 tons from the crop, though it has been delayed by the dry weather. The crop, however, is a good looking one, and shows what the Klondike can do in the way of raising grain."

**WAR IMMINENT.**  
Prevailing Conditions in Balkans Will Force Hostilities Between Turkey and Bulgaria.

Buda Pesth, Aug. 31.—Both in official and revolutionary circles the opinion is freely held that war between Turkey and Bulgaria is imminent and can be avoided by nothing short of a miracle. It is not expected that either government will formally declare hostilities, but that the prevailing conditions will force an war.

There is no question that a large number of insurgents have recently crossed the frontier. An extensive outbreak in Northern Macedonia is possible. The autonomy prints a telegram from Constantinople declaring that the Sultan, influenced by the counsels of Germany, now favors a war with Bulgaria. The Turkish here, however, take an optimistic view, asserting that there is no danger of a war, as the Turkish government does not warrant it, and Prince Ferdinand and the present Bulgarian government are not in a position to force hostilities.

The preliminary arrangements necessary for the completion of the scheme can be proceeded with upon receipt of the information I have asked for.

I presume that you have legislative powers to effect this consolidation, otherwise it will be necessary to obtain it.

Referred to the finance committee for their consideration. Messrs. Hooper & Watkins wrote stating that they had no desire to depart from their original plan and descriptive drawing of the Carnegie library building.

If it was found they would gladly conform in any way which might be suggested.

G. K. Kellogg, of the Pacific Fire Chiefs' Association, of Washington, wrote calling attention to a convention to be held in Olympia from September 23rd to 25th, and requesting the presence of the Victoria chief. Referred to fire wardens with power to act.

P. Hall called attention to a worn-out sidewalk on Collinson street. Referred to the city engineer for report.

The building inspector reported as follows:

Gentlemen: Yours of the 8th inst., re Carnegie library, to be built, and in compliance with instructions beg to respectfully report as follows:

I have examined the amended specification sent to the council by Messrs. Hooper & Watkins, and find that they have complied with the different clauses mentioned in my last report.

There is an elevation plan furnished of the west side, although not called for in the instructions, and in its present shape it does not conform with the specifications. In my opinion there should be another one drawn, thereby preventing any mistakes by contractors. I also think that there should be a small section drawn of the heights of walls, windows, etc., as any of the contractors measuring the present plan might be misled if they did not look at the figures marked on the longitudinal and cross-section. If this were done it would prevent any mistakes being made.

The descriptive letter calls for the building to be heated by steam, "direct indirect system," but the word "indirect" has been omitted.

The furnace that is specified is numbered, and is called the "Gurney Bright" type, and has a heating capacity of 2,300 feet. I got the number of feet of this furnace by writing the agents. No radiators are specified for the basement, for the reason that if placed on the floor they would be below the boiler, and would be full of water, but there is 190 feet of 5-inch pipe running through all the rooms but the delivery room, and I think the pipes should be extended to that room. There would be approximately 245 feet of heating surface, and if extended to the delivery room 24 feet more, which, in my opinion, would be sufficient to heat this part of the building. This part of the heating is direct.

**Ground Floor.**  
The total cubical contents of the ground floor, including lobby, vestibule and stack room, is 60,700 cubic feet, for which is specified and shown on the plan 880 feet of the radiation capacity, which makes one foot of heating surface to 69 cubic feet to be heated.

**First Floor.**  
The total cubical contents of the first floor is 45,698 feet, and there is shown and specified 570 feet of radiation capacity.

## A CONSOLIDATION OF CITY'S LOANS

### CAPT. INMAN, LONDON, MAKES PROPOSITION

The Carnegie Library Matter Advanced  
a Stage at Regular Meeting of  
Council Last Night.

Comparatively few matters of special importance engaged the attention of the members of the city council in regular session last night. A couple of by-laws were introduced, one providing for the extension of Douglas street and the other aiming at a greater fire protection in public music halls and theatres. The Carnegie library matter was advanced a stage, but apart from these matters only routine business was dealt with.

The mayor and city council of New Westminster requested the attendance of the city fathers of Victoria at the Royal City exhibition. Accepted with thanks.

Capt. J. Inman, Regent's Park, London, England, wrote regarding the consolidation of the civic loans as follows:

"I have discussed this matter with one of our leading firms in the city, and they advise that you should adopt a consolidated stock bearing interest at 4 per cent, redeemable in 45 years by the operation of an adequate sinking fund, to be applied annually, the stock to be cancelled as redeemed. Each year a larger amount would be applied to the redemption of principal, and a smaller amount would be required for interest, the books to be kept in London and Victoria. The opinion is expressed that it is not possible to contemplate a 5 per cent. stock, as in the case of the cities of Montreal, Toronto and Quebec, the latter having a population of 70,000. I have especially to ask you to advise me what amount the city is likely to require within an appreciable time, say during the next three or four years, for public works, improvements, etc., outside the requirements of the consolidation."

Referring to the last paragraph of your letter of 18th May, 1903, relative to the gain the city would derive from consolidation, it is quite evident that conformity in the indebtedness of the city, together with a quotation on the London Stock Exchange, would be a distinct advantage. The redemption will be a gradual process, for though the city has power in the case of several of the minor loans to effect redemption at once, it can only be secured in the others by the voluntary action of the holders. A saving of interest would be made when the consolidation had been effected.

The preliminary arrangements necessary for the completion of the scheme can be proceeded with upon receipt of the information I have asked for.

I presume that you have legislative powers to effect this consolidation, otherwise it will be necessary to obtain it.

Referred to the finance committee for their consideration. Messrs. Hooper & Watkins wrote stating that they had no desire to depart from their original plan and descriptive drawing of the Carnegie library building.

If it was found they would gladly conform in any way which might be suggested.

G. K. Kellogg, of the Pacific Fire Chiefs' Association, of Washington, wrote calling attention to a convention to be held in Olympia from September 23rd to 25th, and requesting the presence of the Victoria chief. Referred to fire wardens with power to act.

P. Hall called attention to a worn-out sidewalk on Collinson street. Referred to the city engineer for report.

The building inspector reported as follows:

Gentlemen: Yours of the 8th inst., re Carnegie library, to be built, and in compliance with instructions beg to respectfully report as follows:

I have examined the amended specification sent to the council by Messrs. Hooper & Watkins, and find that they have complied with the different clauses mentioned in my last report.

There is an elevation plan furnished of the west side, although not called for in the instructions, and in its present shape it does not conform with the specifications. In my opinion there should be another one drawn, thereby preventing any mistakes by contractors. I also think that there should be a small section drawn of the heights of walls, windows, etc., as any of the contractors measuring the present plan might be misled if they did not look at the figures marked on the longitudinal and cross-section. If this were done it would prevent any mistakes being made.

The descriptive letter calls for the building to be heated by steam, "direct indirect system," but the word "indirect" has been omitted.

The furnace that is specified is numbered, and is called the "Gurney Bright" type, and has a heating capacity of 2,300 feet. I got the number of feet of this furnace by writing the agents. No radiators are specified for the basement, for the reason that if placed on the floor they would be below the boiler, and would be full of water, but there is 190 feet of 5-inch pipe running through all the rooms but the delivery room, and I think the pipes should be extended to that room. There would be approximately 245 feet of heating surface, and if extended to the delivery room 24 feet more, which, in my opinion, would be sufficient to heat this part of the building. This part of the heating is direct.

**Ground Floor.**  
The total cubical contents of the ground floor, including lobby, vestibule and stack room, is 60,700 cubic feet, for which is specified and shown on the plan 880 feet of the radiation capacity, which makes one foot of heating surface to 69 cubic feet to be heated.

**First Floor.**  
The total cubical contents of the first floor is 45,698 feet, and there is shown and specified 570 feet of radiation capacity.

which makes one foot of heating to 69 cubic feet to be heated.

The authority which I have found very good on other matters says, in reference to heating, as follows: "Direct heating for dwellings, cold or exposed rooms, 1 to 50; for dwellings, ordinary rooms, 1 to 30 or 70; for warm sunny rooms, 1 to 75; for offices, 1 to 75; and for churches and audience rooms, 1 to 125 to 150 feet."

I consider a library should be as warm as an office, and the heating capacity should not be less than one foot of heating surface to 75 cubic feet. The same authority says that upper rooms require less heating surface than those on the ground floor. The total heating surface of this building on the ground and first floors average one foot of heating surface to 73 cubic feet, so if the authority is right there is plenty of heating capacity, both in the boilers and the radiators.

I might state that the two radiators in the lobby cannot very well be used as direct-heating system on account of their situation, as it would be an awkward place to bring the air tubes in. There are 12 air flues in the brick walls, so there is plenty of chance to get ventilation.

In conclusion, I think that if the plans are made to suit the specifications as I have stated, they will then comply with what was intended in the original plans and descriptive letter, but if there are any changes that I have overlooked, I should be allowed to call the attention of the council to them before the contract is signed.

I have four sets of plans and three specifications in my possession, three sets of these should be handed back to the architect for correction, and I should be allowed to keep one set entire, and if any changes are made of any kind, I should be furnished with a copy of whatever it may be.

When the necessary sketches are furnished and the specifications altered in the matter of heating, ventilating and register flues, and approved, then tenders could be again called for.

Received and a copy to be forwarded to Messrs. Hooper & Watkins to comply with the suggestions therein mentioned, the architect to draw a sketch on the front wall to half an inch scale.

The letter from Messrs. Hooper & Watkins was then referred to the building inspector for report.

The electric light committee reported recommending the installation of lights over James Bay.

The finance committee reported accounts totalling \$3,917.47 adopted.

Mr. Graham's motion for leave to introduce a by-law for the expropriation of certain lots for the extension of a library street was next brought up. The motion was passed and the by-law was put through its first, second and third readings.

A by-law to amend the regulations for the interiors of public halls and theatres was next introduced. This law provides among other things against the overcrowding of seating accommodation. It went through its first reading and the council then adjourned.

## FOREIGNERS IMPRISONED.

How Venezuelan Authorities Treat Those With Claims Against Republic.

Williamstad, Island of Curacao, Aug. 31.—Harsh injustice is being meted out to foreigners residing in the interior of Venezuela, where the local authorities are hunting down all foreigners who dare to present claims against Venezuela in accordance with the recent protocol. Near Coro, a local tribunal refused to accept the testimony of five Italians. On the latter insisting on tendering their dispositions they were arrested and thrown into jail. Two of them attempted to escape and were fired upon, one being killed. The Venezuelan government does not deny this occurrence, but is doing nothing to prevent repetition. It is learned on good authority that letters sent to foreigners from the Italian and other legations, instructing them to send in their claims, were seized in the post so as to prevent the claims arriving in Caracas in due time.

**Arrests.**  
Cumana, Venezuela, Aug. 31.—A gibbet was erected in a street of this city on which was hung an effigy representing a foreigner, and the populace beat the dummy with sticks and shouts of death to the foreigners. Two leading traders, M. Palazzi, a Frenchman, and Herr Spricks, a German, were recently arrested in Ciudad Bolivar by order of President Castro for refusing to pay their taxes, which had already been collected by the revolutionists during the latter's occupation of the city. Many other persons were also arrested on the same charge. The French and German ministers at Caracas protested and obtained the immediate release of their fellow countrymen.

General Rolando and two hundred of the rebel officers, who were captured at Ciudad Bolivar, have arrived at Maracaibo. They were incarcerated in the fortress of San Carlos, with their feet in irons.

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#### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria  
Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 1.—5 a. m.—The pressure is high over this entire western portion of the continent from the Pacific to the western borders of Manitoba. Light showers have fallen at Prince Albert, and thunderstorms occurred at Winnipeg and Winnipeg, but fine weather prevails in every section, and temperatures are about normal.

Forecast.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m.—Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm during day.  
Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm during day.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, 49; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 44; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, fair.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 30; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 36; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, fair.

#### A. W. NEILL ENTERTAINED.

Banquet at Alberni at Which Retiring Representative Was Presented With an Address.

A. W. Neill, having retired from political life by the acceptance of the Dominion appointment of Indian agent, vacant by H. Guilford, the popular and highly esteemed holder of that office for many years, it was decided by the political committee which had supported Alberni's candidature during his five years' representation of the constituency to signalize their high opinion of his valuable services by tendering to him a farewell banquet, which was held in Huff's hall, Alberni, on Friday, the 28th August.

The catering for this was confided to Mr. Bishop, and it is only fair to him and Mrs. Bishop to say that they executed their commission to the entire satisfaction of the company which sat down.

A thoroughly representative company of thirty persons enjoyed the good things provided for them. Dr. Watson presided, with Mr. Waterhouse as vice-chairman.

After the usual loyal and patriotic toasts, the chairman proposed the health and prosperity of the guest of the evening. He detailed at some length the political history of the district and Mr. Neill's connection therewith during his five years' representation of Alberni, instancing as a proof of the hold which he had upon the constituency the fact that no less than \$23 had been subscribed towards this demonstration by former constituents on the West Coast, who were unable to be present at the banquet. He also read letters of a highly complimentary nature from Ralph Smith, M. P., who regretted his inability to be present, and also from W. W. B. McInnes.

Mr. Neill made a graceful reply. The chairman exhibited a handsome printed address from all the subscribers to the banquet, and the company present by a formal resolution directed him to sign the same on their behalf and tender it to Mr. Neill as an expression of the public opinion of the district. Speeches followed from Rev. G. Smith and Rev. E. Taylor, and the remainder of the evening was devoted to a smoking concert, with the usual accompaniments.

## THE SALMON PACK ON PUGET SOUND

LOWEST EVER KNOWN  
IN INDUSTRY THERE

The Shortage Has Materially Increased  
the Price of All Other Grades  
of Salmon.

"Figures were announced yesterday on the salmon pack of 1903 at a rate far in advance of anything that was ever known in that industry before. The sockeye run of the season just closed is one of the smallest on record, and is considered to have been almost a failure," says Sunday's Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

"Before figures are quoted on the price of salmon, the big concern always wait until the pack is finished and an estimate of the expense can be made. With the conclusion of the run, the Kelley-Clark Company was ready yesterday to announce the following prices: Halves, \$1 per dozen; one-pound tins, \$1.50 per dozen; one-pound flats, \$1.00 per dozen. "For a comparison with the price of the 1902 pack of sockeye, the following prices for last year's pack are given: Halves, 85 cents; tins, \$1.25, and flats, \$1.50.

"P. F. Kelley is the compiler of figures relating to the Puget Sound pack, and is an authority on the question. He said:

"The pack of sockeye salmon has not only been unusually small in the Puget Sound waters, but in all the other sections where salmon are caught, and as a result the total salmon shortage of the world will, in my judgment, aggregate almost 2,000,000 cases in comparison with that of last year. The total pack of the world this year will be less than 3,000,000 cases. Preparations on Puget Sound were made for a pack of about 875,000 cases for this year, of which at least three-fourths were expected to be sockeye. The pack of sockeye does not exceed 120,000 cases. This is the lowest that has ever been known in the salmon industry, and is considered in the nature of a failure.

"The fact of this great shortage has materially increased the price of all other grades of salmon. Prices on the new pack of red Alaska have not been announced. In our opinion, they will be in the neighborhood of \$1.25 a dozen for tins, as against 95 cents last year. The pack of red Alaska in southeast Alaska is very much shorter than last year, being about 142,000 cases of red salmon and 170,000 of pink salmon. The pack of red salmon in that section last year was 364,000 cases, and of pink 615,000 cases, showing less than one-half a pack of red salmon for southeast Alaska and a shade more than one-fourth of a pack of pink, as compared with the season of 1902.

"The great shortage of the pink pack is explained by the fact that, owing to the less than cost prices which have ruled all this year, packers did not attempt to make any considerable pack of pink. In fact, some eight of ten of the canneries in southeastern Alaska were closed. No effort was spared, however, to put up a full pack of reds, and therefore the shortage in this grade was even more pronounced. It is too early to secure definite information of the pack of Central and Northern Alaska, but it is our impression that the packs of red fish in all Alaska will fall from 500,000 to 600,000 cases below that of last season, making the total probable shortage in pink and red salmon from Alaska at least 1,000,000 cases. The failure of fish to come on Puget Sound this year upsets traditions of the four-year theory, for thirty-five years past. They never have come as few or as late as this before. It would upset another tradition and be absolutely unprecedented in their history so far as the records of man go back. The run has now entirely stopped, and in all probability no more will come this year.

"These prices, which we have announced today, will it is understood, be about on the same basis as those which the other large interests, such as the Alaska Packers' Association, the Pacific Packing & Navigation Company and others will announce. The English market has responded to the shortness of the pack, and values on spot goods in the market of that country have in two weeks undergone a sharp advance, until they are now, plus the freights and charges, at about the same figures as quoted here to-day.

"The Columbia river Chinook pack for this year was 300,000 cases; pickled, of the same grade, 5,800 cases, equal to 80,000 cases, and 500 tons of frozen fish, which is equal to 27,000 cases, making a grand total of 367,000 cases. This is about two-thirds of a pack. The Sacramento river has had a normal pack. "It is too early to give a complete statement of the size of the total salmon pack for Puget Sound for 1903, say the packers, for the canneries are still putting up silver salmon and cheaper varieties to finish packing.

"J. H. Stevens, a representative of Henry W. Peabody, of London, Eng., a company which publishes reports for the London and Liverpool markets, is in the

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city studying conditions and is registered at the Rainier-Grand. He is an authority on the British Columbia pack, the only one which has not been mentioned in Mr. Kelley's interview. When seen he said:

"The English market has already responded to conditions existing here, and high prices have been realized for salmon, both in London and Liverpool, during the few days since the shortage in the salmon pack has become known. The Fraser river pack of sockeye, 185,000 cases, is divided as follows: Tins, 49,000 cases; flats, 2,800 cases; half flats, 82,000 cases; squares, 3,000 cases; and ovals, 23,000 cases. The pack, outside the Fraser river, for British Columbia will be 135,000 cases, making the total for British Columbia 340,000 cases. The comparative packs for the past three seasons in British Columbia are as follows: 1903, 340,000 cases; 1902, 625,000 cases; 1901, 1,500,000 cases."

#### NEW DIRECTORY ISSUED.

Tenth Annual Publication of Henderson Company Makes Interesting Statement.

The tenth annual edition of the Henderson British Columbia Gazetteer and Directory has just been issued, and is a very neat compilation from a typographical and business point of view. The book contains 1,200 pages, and represents a vast amount of labor, the finished article being such only as those having long experience like the publishers could think of undertaking.

The volume this year is divided into six parts, namely, incorporated companies, gazetteer index, showing the names of all places in each electoral district, gazetteer and directory of post offices, railway stations, villages and mining camps, directory of incorporated cities and principal towns, complete streets and alphabetical directory of the cities of Victoria and Vancouver, and classified business directory.

#### KING AND EMPEROR.

His Majesty Pays a Visit to Austria's Ruler.

Vienna, Aug. 31.—King Edward arrived here at 5 o'clock this afternoon from Marienbad and was accorded an enthusiastic reception. The city was elaborately decorated, and along the route from the railway station to the Hofburg, triumphal arches, displaying the Austrian and British flags entwined were erected.

The Emperor Francis Joseph, wearing the uniform of the British Dragon Guards, and accompanied by several archdukes and other notables, received King Edward at the station. The King wore the uniform of a colonel of Austrian Hussars. After the presentation of the archdukes, and others, their Majesties drove to the Hofburg in a landau drawn by six horses, immense crowds lining the streets. At the Hofburg the King was received by the archduchess, Foreign Minister Gulowinski, the Austrian and Hungarian premiers and the court and state dignitaries. Thereafter the King retired to his apartments, where he was officially visited by the Emperor.

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The International Arbitration court will hold a meeting at The Hague, but it will be purely formal. As no arbitrators have been appointed by the Czar in place of M. Lardin, the Swiss minister at Paris, and Prof. Matsen, of Copenhagen University, the court will be indefinitely adjourned pending the appointment of the arbitrators.

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#### SEATTLE FIRE.

Damage Amounts to About Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Seattle, Aug. 31.—Fire, aided by smoke and water, did probably \$50,000 damage to the Moses block, a five-story brick structure on the east side of Second avenue south, between Main and Jackson streets, and the various mercantile concerns housed therein, during the hour from 2:30 to 3:30 o'clock this morning. The fire was one of the most stubborn with which the department has had to deal for several months, and rendered doubly so by reason of the smoke and highly inflammable material, largely leaf tobacco, paper, stationery supplies, etc., with which the four upper stories of the building were filled.

#### ALASKA BOUNDARY.

Making Arrangements For First Meeting of the Commission.

London, Aug. 31.—Lord Chief Justice Alveston, the British member of the Alaskan boundary commission, called on Elihu Root this morning and Ambassador Choate called on him later. John W. Foster, former secretary of state, saw Mr. Choate this afternoon, and they discussed the final arrangements for the meeting of the commissioners at the foreign office on Thursday. Counsel for Canada have issued a statement giving an outline of their controversy, but not expressing an opinion. It is rumored that Secretary Henry White, of the United States embassy, may be chosen secretary of the commission.

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#### IN MEMORY OF PASTOR.

Memorial Services Held at St. Columba's Church, Oak Bay.

On Sunday evening at St. Columba's church, Oak Bay, services in memory of late Rev. Alex. Fraser were held. There was a large congregation, and the pulpit, which was occupied by Rev. Mr. Ewing, was draped and almost covered with lilies. During the time the congregation was assembling the "Dead March" was played by the organist.

Rev. Mr. Ewing, in a few remarks, eulogized the late pastor. Trustful, faithful and humble, his character was above reproach, and these qualities had endeared him to all those with whom he came in contact while ministering the Gospel. The text, John xix., "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," was taken as the subject of the sermon.

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## PROTECTING THE PROVINCE.

In this morning's issue the Colonist, anxious to demonstrate that the Conservative party is vigilant in the interests of this province, announces that the local government have "drawn attention to two grave defects in which the interests of British Columbia have not been protected in the Grand Trunk Pacific Bill." The first, it is claimed, is that no provision has been made in the construction for the western terminus eastward, and the second, that no provision has been made for the exclusion of Oriental labor from the work.

The Conservative organ follows this up by charging the Laurier government, Senator Templeman and Ralph Smith, M. P., with overlooking the interests of the province. "Marked indifference" is another term it employs in referring to the alleged conduct of the government and gentlemen mentioned.

Sensor Macdonald in the same issue grows angry with the Times and with Ralph Smith, M. P., for seeking to set him right on the same subject. However, since neither the Colonist nor Mr. Macdonald seem to be able to believe it, we will be obliged to repeat a few statements for the benefit of some who might read these misleading charges.

The Grand Trunk Pacific railway has to be completed from ocean to ocean in five years.

How that can be done if construction is not commenced on the Western end immediately on the completion of the surveys the Colonist may be able to explain. No one else can.

Moreover the contract will contain such a provision as the local government profess to seek.

While neither Japs or Chinese are mentioned in the agreement, a clause has been inserted in the Railway act specially to meet this case, to the effect that the fair wage law shall apply. Hon. Mr. McBride may have the best interest of the province at heart, but his eleventh hour concern in this great work smacks a little of the demagogue and the charlatan.

The interests of British Columbia have been carefully safeguarded in every way. Within the next five years twenty millions will be expended between Fort Simpson and our Eastern boundary. The province for all time will be absorbed from the necessity of subsidizing a railway to open up central British Columbia. Does Mr. McBride and the Colonist approve of that? If they do, why don't they follow the example of the Victoria Board of Trade and H. D. Helmcken, president of the Conservative Association, and sinking partnership, publicly and unequivocally endorse the great enterprise?

While this railway will be of immense value to every province it passes through, there is no province to which it means so much as British Columbia. If Mr. McBride and the Colonist desire that the bill now before the House be defeated they should state so plainly.

## A SUGGESTION.

A gentleman residing in Liskeard, Cornwall, Mr. W. Phillips Williams, writes to the Times, to make a suggestion which has some merit. He advocates that deputations of really good Colonial speakers should be sent to the Mother Country to explain the Colonial question from a Canadian point of view to English voters at the next election. Mr. Williams adds:

"They would receive a warm welcome and a ready hearing, and would more over create a precedent that would grow into custom and a reserve of strength that would last as long as the Empire lasts. It is a free country, where there is free speech, and the Colonial has just as much right to speak as the Englishman. It is also the first time a government has gone to the country on a Colonial question. Surely the opportunity is too good to be lost if the Empire is to be brought together on the question of federation." This writer adds that he personally would be glad to do anything in his power to assist any speakers who might come over.

In the carrying out of such a scheme, everything would depend on the character of the men sent. A few judicious speakers by men presumably bearing

credentials from this country would do more to injure the cause designed to be benefited than could be remedied in a decade. But a few discreet agents would supplement in a valuable way the good work which the visit of the British newspaper men, of the representatives of the Lords and Commons, of the members of the Chambers of Commerce, and the carrying out of the preferential tariff, has accomplished.

## THE CATTLE EMBARGO.

A matter of the greatest concern to the Eastern farmer, and in a general way to all Canadians, was brought before the Imperial Chambers of Commerce at Montreal by Robt. Bickerdike, M.P. This was the question of the embargo on Canadian cattle in Britain. That embargo was conceived in error, to put the most generous construction on the circumstances attending its creation, and its perpetuation is an act of the grossest injustice to Canadian herds. Fortunately for this country, the gentleman who brought the subject before the Congress was one well qualified to speak on the subject, and he laid the whole matter before the members in a speech of great lucidity and force.

Although the embargo was placed on our cattle in 1893 there was an agitation for some time previously among the agriculturists of the British Isles, who feared the cheaper competition of the Dominion producers. Knowing that this sentiment prevailed, Canadian breeders and exporters were at great pains to provide no excuse for perpetrating such an injustice to Canadian stock. But disease existed in the herds of other countries, and the British farmer was thus armed with a weapon which he could use effectively against a trade rival.

On November 14th, 1893, the British government issued an order requiring all Canadian cattle landed in the United Kingdom to be slaughtered within a limited time at the port of debarkation. Before this action Canadian cattle had been free to be moved from place to place in the United Kingdom, and it was possible to hold them over from one market to another if prices were not considered good. At the same time, there was considerable trade done in the stocks, half-fod animals, which Scottish and English farmers bought and finished.

The grounds of the British government's action was the alleged discovery of pleuro-pneumonia in an animal from Canada that had been landed in Scotland. In connection with this case, after a thorough investigation having been made, it was proven beyond the shadow of a doubt that the animal had contracted the disease in Scotland. Efforts were at once made to secure the withdrawal of the scheduling on the ground that pleuro-pneumonia was a disease unknown in Canada, that it had never existed, nor did it exist at the time. It has never existed since, and no better proof is necessary than the fact that during the past twelve years over a million and a half of Canadian cattle have been slaughtered in England and Scotland without a single case of disease being detected, or even a suspicion that any of the Canadian cattle were diseased.

Mr. Bickerdike's argument to the members concisely was as follows: "I include our cattle if you will; refuse us if you like the privileges which existed previous to 1893, but in common justice don't brand the finest herds in the world as diseased and impure." The imposition of that embargo, while sensibly felt at the time led to Canadian stock being "finished" on the ground instead of in the old land, but the brand remains on Canadian trade and will remain till the injustice complained of is removed.

All who have wrestled with the puzzle of the foreign words which have become part of our language will be interested in the contention of Prof. Matthews of Columbia University, that there need be none of the confusion which so often arises in selecting the plural form of words like cherub, appendix, beau, etc. The argument of the professor is that these words the moment they become Anglicized become subject to similar pluralization as other English nouns. For instance, he claims that the proper plural for appendix is appendices, not appendices, for curriculum, curriculums, not curricula, etc. Even a word like crisis, he contends should follow the English rule and become crises instead of crises. The adoption of the professor's theories would save much heart breaking to the rice in his student days.

President Roosevelt lacks perhaps the breadth and general capacity of some of his predecessors, but he has a gift of formulating epigrams which many of his more illustrious predecessors might have envied. Some of his phrases are with us in "the strenuous life," and other apt remarks, but he added another the other day in a speech to young men which was striking. He said: "I desire to see in this country the decent men strong, and the strong men decent, and until we get that combination in pretty good shape we are not going to be by any means as successful as we should be."

Thanksgiving Day is set for October 15th. Now if we could only be assured that the McBride government is tending to business, we would know just how to celebrate it.

The special commissioner of the London Post to Canada has been studying our people at short range, and has made some discoveries which will doubtless be of interest, and we hope of profit, to the constituency which the Post serves. He confesses that he is amazed at the stout manner in which Canuckers have retained their national characteristics in spite of the contingency of a nation many times their superior in point of numbers. He notes the absence of the Yankee twang, the British accent of the people and the British tone of the press. These things he ascribes to, pure British descent, to climatic conditions which breed a hardy race, but most of all to the attempts of the United States to force Canada into the Union.

There are several items of mining news in the present issue of the Times which are full of significance to the people of this province. The tidings from Trout Lake is but another illustration of the contention that the Lardeau country is still practically undiscovered. Nearer home, the value of the new find on the Lapora property is finally established in the assay which has just been completed at the government office of a sample taken from the vein by Mr. Machin. Over fifteen per cent. copper, with small values in gold and silver, bring it up to the vicinity of fifty dollars ore. As long as Vancouver Island can produce mines like that it will retain its place in the front rank of mining districts in this province.

Those Conservative papers who hailed Mr. Blair's speech on the Grand Trunk Pacific as the last word on that subject, and who gave it as wide circulation, verbatim, as their circulation would permit, are now realizing that it is a greatly better to wait for your cue. Mr. Borden in a speech which embodied the opposition's policy, took occasion to distinctly renounce some of Mr. Blair's ideas. His advocacy of a common use of the North Shore division of the C.P.R. railway by more than one line, was in absolute conflict with the contention of Mr. Blair, who held such an idea impracticable, and was applauded from the opposition benches for his declaration.

The situation in Nelson moves Patrick Carley to remark: "The Tribune and its editor persist in the contention that the Conservative party in this city is united, while everyone knows that the party here, through the machinations of Starkey and others, has been completely rent asunder, and that there is no possible chance of the Honorable candidate polling half the Conservative vote." All of which should make very pleasant reading for S. S. Taylor, coming as it does from a Conservative paper.

Now that the Premier and his Attorney-General have got back from their missionary tour to the North, and Messrs. Wilson and Green have returned from their pilgrimage East, would these gentlemen kindly enlighten the public as to what they are doing? The only thing the public is certain of is that they are drawing their salaries.

## "THE HAPPY FAMILY."

Tune—"Where Does D. M. E. Come In?"  
I stood on the bridge at sundown,  
On the bridge that crosses the Bay,  
And heard Bob Green abusing  
McBride in a furious way.  
John Houston, yes, John Houston,  
That name, it makes me tired,  
For if he be elected  
Then Robert will be fired.  
I hear that you have promised  
To give to Robert John  
The fella which I have now;  
May you both be undone!  
Just then McPhillips hurried up,  
Said he: "I will not tarry."  
Except to tell you that I know  
You've promised mine to Harry.  
Ere Dick seceded, Robert appeared,  
"McBride, I think it's rotten,  
That you should promise the Kincaid  
Portfolio to Cotton!"  
"Hist!" whispered Dick, "be calm, my  
braves—  
Like me, keep on your hair—  
I've promised each of those good men  
The present vacant chair."  
B. J. P.

## APPROPRIATION FOR SEWERAGE.

To the Editor:—I am of the opinion that the North Ward happens to live within walking distance of Hill street I would invite their attention to what appears a foolish and altogether unwarrantable waste of money. There are six cottages to drain on this short length of sewer that would be perfectly served by a drain four feet deep, but as the greater part of the length is rock it has to be taken 8 to 10 feet deep. This not only is a waste of public funds, but entails hundreds of dollars extra upon the owners of adjacent properties. There is a sewer for that matter at both sides of Hill street, and to the person of average intelligence it would seem that this side of rock 100 feet wide would form a natural divide, the sewerage from three houses going each way. Sewer by all means, but don't do it foolishly.

## NORTH WARDER.

## AN OBJECT LESSON.

To the Editor:—The Washington, at Seattle is a splendid example of what a first-class up-to-date hotel can do for a city in the way of advertisement. The Seattle people are wondering how it has been possible for the city to get along all these years without such an institution. It will be the same in Victoria when the new C. P. R. hotel has been open a few months.

If there are any people in Victoria in doubt as to when they will vote for the by-law or not, let them go over and see the Washington and learn what it is doing for Seattle. The most satisfactory thing in connection with it is, although it was prophesied that it would never pay, that it has paid handsomely from the

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## VICTORIA.

## MET THE MINISTER.

Hon. R. Green Received the Deputation From Esquimalt School District.

This morning the deputation representing those who have objected to the conduct of affairs in the Esquimalt school district again waited upon the Minister of Education. The postponement for a few days of an answer concerning the matter was made by Hon. R. P. Green in order that he might consult with Inspector Wilson, the commission which investigated it.

This morning the Inspector was present. He contended, as in his report, that while there were irregularities in the election proceedings, at the annual meeting of the school district, yet, in his opinion, the spirit of the law was complied with. Under these circumstances he could not recommend the upsetting of the election.

In view of this the Minister of Education could not in turn see his way clear to take any action.

The question of Thos. Nicholson's engagement as one of the teachers in the school, which is an all-important one from the standpoint of the committee, it was intimated might be overruled. The department intimated its readiness to adjust this trouble by attempting to persuade Mr. Nicholson to retire from the position. This, it is said, will satisfy the wishes of the committee to a very considerable extent.

## GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

Requests made by the Provincial Ministry in Federal Government.

The provincial government at an executive meeting decided to make requests to the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier looking to the interests of British Columbia in the contract to be made with respect to the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

With this in view the Provincial Secretary has communicated the wishes of the government to Hon. Senator Templeman and Hon. R. W. Scott, secretary of state at Ottawa. The requests of the provincial government are that the contract entered into between the Dominion and the railway company should provide that the work on the line should begin from the Pacific eastward simultaneously with the commencement of the construction of the line westward. The carrying out of this is expected to give British Columbia many advantages during the construction period of the railway.

In addition to this the Dominion government is asked to see that the employment of Atlantic labor on the construction work should be prohibited.

## BALL IS POSTPONED.

It will be tendered the Officers of the North Pacific Squadron in October.

The ball to be tendered the officers of the North Pacific Squadron by the citizens of Victoria will not be given until October. This was the time at which it was originally intended to give the ball. At that period the fleet would all be at headquarters at Esquimalt, and it was the intention to make it a function fitting to the occasion.

When it was learned that the Pacific Squadron of the United States was to visit Esquimalt in September, a change was made in the arrangements and an attempt was made to bring on the ball in order that the officers of the United States navy might also be present.

It is now learned that the United States Squadron will not be able to visit here until October. Hon. A. E. Smith, United States consul, received the following message yesterday from Bremerton, Washington: "Forty percent Squadron going Victoria in September, but it may visit there in October. Glass, rear-admiral."

The original intention will now be carried out and the ball will be given in honor of the fleet in October. It may be that the officers of the United States Squadron will then be here to take part. At all events the ball will be given in October.

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## PERSONAL.

Harry Chase and W. J. Whalen, the two California boys who played with the Victoria baseball team throughout the season just ended, will leave this evening for Santa Clara, California, their engagement with the local club having expired. Elmer Emerson, also of California, who captained the Victoria nine during the past season, has decided to remain here until Labor Day, and in the meantime will spend some days hunting up the line. All three will long be remembered by local fans. During their stay they have popularized themselves not only by their excellent work when on the field, but through their unflinching good nature and gentlemanly bearing. Emerson and Chase had almost begun to consider Victoria their home, and it is unlikely that they will be seen playing with the locals again next season. Emerson, Chase and Whalen are studying at one of the colleges at Santa Clara, and upon return will resume this work.

Geo. E. Williams and wife and Mrs. C. A. Williams, of Seattle; E. B. Dunigan, a commercial man, of Milwaukee, Wis.; D. F. Lennon and wife, E. H. Hebb and wife, of Winnipeg; L. E. Joseph and P. V. Hobbs, of Port Renfrew; and A. J. Passage and wife, of Vancouver, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

A. A. Fountain, of Seattle; Henry Fry and P. J. Pearson, of Chelmsford; A. W. McLaughlin and wife, J. L. Sawyer and wife, J. L. Merrick and Seth Snipe, of Maine; and A. H. Wainwright, of Vancouver, are among the guests at the Victoria hotel.

Miss Henderson, matron of the Vernon hospital, and Miss Woodlands, one of the nursery staff of that institution, are visiting Victoria. They intend spending a short vacation here visiting friends.

Mrs. Ernest A. Leigh and Miss Emerson, of San Francisco, who have been the guests of Mrs. Geo. Simpson, St. John street, during the summer, left last night for California.

J. H. Bacon, of Boston, Mass.; T. E. Dennis, of London, Eng.; and Miss Julia and Miss Blanche Kimball, of Salt Lake City, Utah, are among the guests at the Brandon.

Dr. Holden left last night for the East, where he will visit the hospital. He expects to be back by the end of October.

R. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald and Miss Minnie McDonald, of Dawson, are among those at the Dominion.

## TO-MORROW—THE TOURIST EXCURSION.

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## City News in Brief.

—Going to Vancouver or Westminster? Take the Terminal railway at 7.00 a. m. daily.

—The regular meeting of Columbia Royal Arch Chapter will be held this evening. Many prominent members of the craft are expected to be present.

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—The Conservatives of the Newcastle electoral district have made choice of Andrew Bryden, manager of the Extension mines, as their candidate. Mr. Bryden is personally popular, and the contest between him and Mr. Murray, the Liberal nominee, will be a very close one. The Socialists threaten also to put a candidate in the field.

—J. H. Hawthornthwaite in his opening meeting at Nanaimo, after attacking the present condition of affairs in politics, is reported to have stated that the investigations of last session into the Columbia & Western railroad matter and the Chinney Creek contract, touched only the outside of the corruption which existed in public life. He denounced the governments which had ruled British Columbia, and promised that exposures would be made which would ruin the reputations of many of the politicians occupying important places.

—It is a remarkable fact that during the whole record of The Mutual Life of Canada, from its organization in the year 1869 up to the present year, the interest earnings of the company have been more than sufficient to pay all the death claims for the entire period of 33 years. When it is remembered that in this company the policy-holders and they alone receive all the profits, it is clearly to the advantage of any person contemplating insurance to invest their money in this reliable company. R. L. Drury, Provincial Manager, 34 Broad street.

—A most successful concert was held in Seattle recently by Peje Stock and Herbert Ritchie, two artists, who from time to time have enchanted Victoria audiences with their music. People flocked in such numbers to the church, where the concert was held that hundreds were turned away for lack of seating accommodation. The audience was requested to remain silent, various members of the congregation not approving a demonstration in the church, but evidently the music carried people away, for several pieces called forth vociferous applause, notably Raff's Sonata for piano and violin, Mendelssohn's concerto for violin and Liszt's twelve Rhapsodies for piano.

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P. C. MACGREGOR.

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The contract for the new brick block to be erected on Esplanade street for Geo. Took Tong & Co. has been awarded to Ald. Dinsdale.

Reverend school will be held at the German Lutheran parsonage every Tuesday and Thursday of each week, from 4.30 to 5.30 p. m. in connection with confirmation instruction.

—The "At Home" to be given at the Aged Woman's Home on the afternoon and evening of Friday, September 4th, is under the patronage of the Mayor and aldermen, and is for the purpose of procuring fuel for the winter. The assistance of all friends of the institution, both by their presence and donation is solicited by those in charge. Donations of tea, coffee, cake, bread, butter, home-made candy, etc., will be thankfully received and can be left at the home.

As a result of the recent breaking of the brickmakers' combine and the consequent cheapening of bricks, it was stated by a contractor to a Times representative last night that the Carnegie library can be built for about a thousand dollars less now than a few months ago. Bricks are said to be selling for seven dollars, whereas some time ago they were bringing nine dollars a thousand. The same contractor stated that he would now have no hesitancy about erecting a new brick residence for himself.

—The attendance at the Edison theatre was large last night. Everybody wanted to see and hear Summers and O'Connell, the singers, dancers and comedians. They have a fine act. Connors and Connors, in their refined comedy act, proved much provoking. Ella Hampton, the mezzo soprano, delighted the audience with her rendering of the "Holy City," illustrated. The moving pictures are up to the standard. The management announces that commencing September 7th there will be a matinee daily.

—A gentlemen's party was held last evening for the purpose of giving the many friends of Chas. E. Dickinson an opportunity of saying farewell. Mr. Dickinson, who for many years has been in the employ of R. P. Rihet & Co., has accepted a responsible position in Seattle and will leave to undertake his duties in a few days. The gathering, which was held at Mr. Dickinson's residence, was largely attended. A pleasant evening was spent, and before dispersing all joined in wishing him well in his new field of labor.

—William C. Carl, the noted organist from New York, who delighted Victorians with a concert given in St. John's church about a year ago, has been in Dawson dedicating a new instrument which the First Presbyterian church of that city recently procured from Woodstock. The instrument is the first pipe organ ever shipped in Dawson. From Dawson Mr. Carl journeyed 2,000 miles down the Yukon river to Nome, stopping at St. Michael on the way. Accompanying him on the trip was Burton Holmes, the famous Chicago lecturer. While at Nome the paid were tendered a reception by the Eskimos from Prince of Wales Island, at which the dwellers of the North gave some of their native dances. Mr. Carl expects to spend some time in Seattle and the Northwest.

—At the last meeting of the Board of Horticulture in the office of J. R. Anderson, of the department of agriculture, a number of very important matters were discussed, including the increase of infected fruit shipped into this province from California during the early part of the season. Fruit imported from Washington has also been found to be badly infected with the codling moth, and quarantine officers have been instructed to be very careful in their inspection. It was also pointed out that the plum rot was again prevalent on the mainland. A committee consisting of Messrs. Palmer and Cunningham has been instructed to further investigate this matter and prepare a report for the information of fruit growers as to the best methods of combating this destructive disease. In response to the complaint made to the board by the fruit growers who suffer from the invasion of crows, the board has recommended to the government what in its opinion is the best method of coping with this evil. The Minister of Agriculture was present at the meeting.

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—Important business will be dealt with at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to-night.

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—There will be a meeting of the Fifth Regiment officers at the drill hall on Thursday evening at 8.30 o'clock for the purpose of discussing preparations for the drill season.

—In connection with the Labor Day excursion to Vancouver, the committee in charge desire it understood that the palatial Princess Victoria will carry the excursionists both ways. She will leave the inner wharf at 7 o'clock and returning reach Victoria at 10.30 p. m.

—To-morrow afternoon commencing at 3 o'clock at the Spring Ridge school, the first of the series of mothers' meetings will be held when business of importance is to be considered. Officers will be elected and topics for discussion at the forthcoming session decided upon. The secretary wishes a full attendance.

—Moonlight excursion Wednesday evening, 2nd inst., by rail and steamer. Two hours' trip round the Gulf Islands on the palatial steamer Victorian. Train leaves market building 7.45 sharp, returning at 11 o'clock. Good music. Adults 50 cents, children 25 cents.

—The Victoria Baseball Club held a meeting last night to wind up the season's affairs. A statement of receipts and expenditures shows a deficit of \$304. This management considers very disappointing in view of the promising character of the opening months. They attribute the loss to the lack of patronage in the latter part of the season. An effort will be made on the part of the local fans to supply the deficiency.

—At the regular meeting of the Friendly Help Association, the treasurer reported donations of cash from G. W. Donaldson, and Mrs. Fell cash from cards; clothing from Mrs. A. A. Green, Mrs. Sutton, J. Nicholson, Mrs. McKicking, Mrs. John Irving, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. R. C. Monteth; R. Porter & Sons, meat, and Mrs. Forman, perambulator. Twenty-two applicants had been supplied with groceries, clothing or fuel.

—On Thursday a banquet will be tendered J. Buntan, general manager of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, by the employees of that company to mark his safe return from an extended trip to Europe. The banquet will be held in Vancouver, and it is likely that some six or seven local employees will attend. Mayor McCord has received an invitation to be present, which he will in all probability accept. The presidents of the Boards of Trade and Trades and Labor Councils of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster have received invitations, most of which have been accepted. A. T. Goward, local manager, is also expected to be present.

—The programme at the Orpheum theatre this week surpasses any that has been seen at this place of amusement for a long time. The four "Banshees" have made a decided hit with their laughable sketch, "The Theatrical Agency." Master Joseph Germain, the acrobat, holds the audience spellbound with his marvelous feats. Harry De Ross wins hearty applause with his artistic rendition of "The Gypsy Love Song" from the "Fortune-Teller," and the illustrious "Mandy Lee," with the pretty slides. These slides are not hand-painted, but are the best work from a photographic standpoint, and highly colored. The moving pictures are entirely new and very amusing, as well as instructive.

## AFTER MANY YEARS.

A Wily Celestial Caught Supplying Intoxicants to an Indian-Suspected a Long Time.

An unkept, one-eyed Chinaman, with whiskers patterned after those of the late Li Hung Chang, stood sorrowfully up in the police court dock this morning in answer to the name of Ning Jew. He was charged with supplying an Indian with intoxicants, and his case is a neat illustration of the adage of the under that goes too often to the well. For years the police have suspected work from a photographic standpoint, and highly colored. The moving pictures are entirely new and very amusing, as well as instructive.

Hip Wah, a Chinese rancher, was fined \$7.50 and \$2.50 costs for an infraction of the health by-law. He was one of the bunch summoned by Constable Claydards who had inspected Wah's pigery, which was found to be decidedly "high." The alternative to his fine is 15 days in default of distress. A drunk was fined \$2.50 and 50 cents costs or five days.

## BY-LAW AMENDED IN SEVERAL RESPECTS

### SEAT ACCOMMODATION IN THE AUDITORIUMS

Regulated—Fire Limits Are Extended.

There are three aspects to the by-law which received the consideration of the city council last night. It was introduced to amend the building and alters that ordinance in several important respects. In the first place it provides for the addition of certain specific regulations regarding the interior arrangements of buildings used for the purpose of entertainment. This amendment is the result of the agitation created by D. W. Higgins, and deals with the matter in details not provided for in the original law. The amending enactment also relaxes the requirements in regard to the thickness of main walls in one-story structures. The table formerly in force was undoubtedly drastic, and the amendment contemplates a reduction. Thickness under the other by-law for one-story buildings were as follows: Basement brick, 12 inches; stone, 20; ground, brick, 13; stone, 18.

The same amending by-law extends the fire limits, which will hereafter include the James Bay district and its immediate vicinity on the town side. The object of this clause is to prevent the erection of any more shacks in that part of the city. As is generally known, under the terms of the hotel agreement the corporation is bound not to permit the erection of structures on its part of the mud flats which would be a detriment to the railroad company's property. After the passage of this by-law no more wooden buildings can be built within that area described.

In regard to seating accommodation in auditoriums, the by-law says that seats,

whether chairs or forms, shall be arranged in rows or straight or curved lines, and there shall be allowed for each person a seating width space of at least 18 inches, and an additional inch on each side, making a total allowance of 20 inches for each person. Seats shall be of a depth of at least 14 inches. Between each row of seats there shall be allowed space of at least 14 inches, measuring from the front of one seat to the back of the next seat.

As to the passageways between seats: At each end of each row of 12 or lesser number of seats, there shall be passage space of a width of at least three feet three inches, so that for every row of six or less seats there shall be a passageway of at least three feet three inches in width. In case only one passageway is required in the auditorium by these regulations, the width shall be at least four feet. In front of the rows of seats there shall be a passageway of at least three feet in width, and in the rear a passageway space of at least four feet six inches. These regulations shall apply to galleries, but the seats may be of a width of 14 inches each and a depth of at least 12 inches. Passage space in front and rear may be dispensed with, where, in the opinion of the building inspector, they are unnecessary, having regard to the size and seating capacity of the gallery, and provided the means of exit from the gallery comply with the requirements of the by-law. All seats in the building shall be fastened to the flooring.

As to exits in buildings seating less than 100 persons: Where there is only one exit, and that direct to the street without passage or lobby, and where no lobby, the width of the exit shall be at least four feet. Where the stairway from a gallery is to the auditorium, and only one stairway and means of exit, the stairway and the exit door shall be at least four feet in width. Where there is one gallery with one stairway to the street direct, the width of the stairway and exit door shall be four feet at least.

In regard to the thickness of walls, the by-law provides that the requirements of the main walls of outhouses and stables, and other similar erections appurtenant to dwelling houses, bungalows and cottages of a height not exceeding 30 feet, measured from the ground to the highest point of the roof, may be relaxed by the building inspector. No brick wall is to be more than eight inches in thickness, provided they do not exceed 10 feet in height and 60 feet in length. Greenhouses and conservatories



Another club woman, Mrs. Haule, of Edgerton, Wis., tells how she was cured of irregularities and uterine trouble, terrible pains and backache, by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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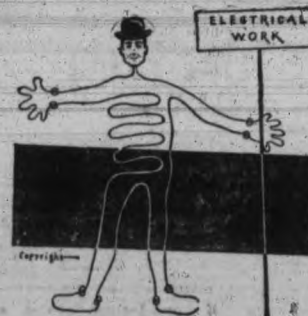
When women are troubled with irregularities, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, indigestion, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, inflammation of the ovaries, general debility, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

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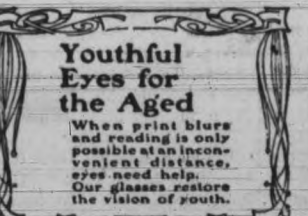
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### LACROSSE.

BACK FROM ROSSLAND.

"We were treated most hospitably," remarked J. M. Mellis, secretary of the Victoria Lacrosse Club, this morning, in referring to the visit of the local team to Rossland. "Those in charge of the celebrations," he continued, "did everything in their power to make our visit pleasant and enjoyable, and they succeeded. We were only too pleased, upon request, to stay over and play an extra game. The considerable way in which they treated us was appreciated by every member of the team, and we would like to express our thanks."

### THE GUN.

SEASON OF THE GUN.

This morning the shooting season for grouse, deer and waterfowl opened. For days parties of hunters have been leaving the city in order to reach their favorite hunting grounds in time to start out early this morning. The season may not yet be shot, and a large number of special permits have been issued in order to enable the bags of hunters coming to the city. Following are the open seasons:

September 1st to December 14th—Deer, buck or doe; mountain goat, mountain sheep (rain).

September 1st to December 31st—Caribou, elk, wapiti (bull); grouse of all kinds, including prairie chickens; hare; moose (bull).

September 1st to February 28th—Bittern, all kinds; heron, meadow lark, plover.

November 2nd to March 31st—Beaver, land otter, martin.

### BASEBALL.

LUCAS INTERVIEWED.

W. H. Lucas, president of the Pacific Northwest League, passed through Seattle this morning on his way to the league meeting at Butte. He claims to see no reason for fearing the extermination of the league and says positively that it will be on deck next year with a six club circuit.

Speaking of the league, its future, its past and its troubles, Mr. Lucas said: "The present P. N. L. season will be completed with the four teams now in the circuit. There will not be an attempt to add any more teams this season. That was left till next year. There is no prospect of a failure. The success of the remainder of the season is as sure as fall follows summer. As regards our plans for next year, that is also to be determined. The P. N. L. will exist next season; however, and there will be six clubs in the field. Four of these clubs will be Spokane, Salt Lake, Butte and Seattle. The other two are yet to be selected, but Vancouver will undoubtedly be one of them. There will be numerous applications made before the season starts, and we will have a good field to choose from."

### ATHLETICS.

ALMOST FINISHED.

With the approach of fall, summer sports in Victoria are gradually drawing to a close. Last week the final baseball matches of the season took place, and it will not be long before the lacrosse schedule, as far as it affects this city, is completed. Two games will take place, one between the locals and Vancouver and the other between the Victoria twelve and the New Westminster aggregation. It is expected that there will be some difficulty about the Cathedral grounds. The Victoria club claims that Mr. Todd broke his agreement with them when he rented the grounds to the Victoria Kennel Club without consulting with the lacrosse association. Mr. Todd will therefore be interviewed, and if no arrangement can be reached these games will have to be played off on other grounds.

Crickets have been played during the season almost every Saturday by the Victoria club's teams. The first eleven has won a majority of the games played, and the second eleven has been hardly less successful. Another team that has figured in numerous contests is the Fernwoods. They have played a number of games with the Victoria second eleven, and each time made an excellent showing. Now that the season is closing, the results are being made up, and a team picked from the members of the Victoria Baseball Club. It is doubtful if there will be any more cricket matches after that now suggested has taken place.

As far as lawn tennis is concerned, the game is still being played on private courts, but the tournaments have been played off with the results already chronicled in these columns.

Yachting is also about over. One of the schedules of races has been completed and only one or two races remain to decide the

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but sails. The result of to-day's race leaves Larita and Sprite tie for first place. These two yachts will meet in a special race to-morrow to decide the supremacy. To-day's race was protested because one of the buoys had been moved and two of the yachts ran out of their course and lost considerable time. If the protest is sustained all the yachts will be allowed to start to-morrow. The race to-day was sailed in a gale, and the finish between the first three yachts was very close. Hoosier was only 20 seconds behind Larita, and Sprite a like distance back of Hoosier.

### GOOD ENOUGH FOR THE JUDGE.

Not long ago a serious case of assault and battery was being tried in a certain town in the south of Ireland.

"Tell His Lordship and the jury what actually happened," said the plaintiff's solicitor to the plaintiff.

"Your Honor, before batin' me the defendant used threatening and abusive language to me," began the battered one.

"What was the language used?" asked his Lordship.

"Shure it's not fit for any decent or respectable person to hear," replied the plaintiff.

"Well, in that case, just whisper it to His Lordship," said the solicitor.

The court roared.—To-Day.

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## CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

The Lodgers at New-Take Farm.

But it had to be done, and reluctantly she allowed the distance between them to increase, only keeping the tall form of the man always within sight. He had sworn to her that his business with the person he came to meet would detain him with the latter some time, therefore she need not hurry herself to see the face she had undertaken so adventurous a journey to look upon. Still, she could not trust him; and when at last he suddenly disappeared from sight her pulses gave an angry leap. What if he meant to evade her, throw her off, now that he had the paper and his plans seemed working well without her help?

Just as she had begun definitely to fear that such might be his intention, she saw that, after all, he had not really vanished. He had stopped, and was sitting down in the shadow of a boulder, which looked as if it might have fallen from the top of a great rocky hummock a short distance further on.

Vivien could not be quite sure yet whether he was alone or not. There might be someone with him, sitting at his left, or it might be an odd formation of the rock which gave the impression of a second seated figure. She looked at her watch, hidden under the gipsy cloak, and saw that it was a quarter-past four.

If the person expected had been in time, the conversation might already be going on. But where was Jim Breakspear? She was certain her invitation had been refused because he had meant to travel to Dartmoor; but perhaps he had taken a later train than theirs, not knowing the hour for the appointment, and would come too late. At all events, there was no fear that he could possibly recognize her in her present disguise. She looked sixty, if she looked a day, she told herself, and then half smiled under her brown gipsy-point at the thought that never before had she wished to look older than she was.

Slowly and more slowly she walked as she approached the spot where the man sat. She could see him quite plainly now, and there was nobody with him. Not only did he sit moodily alone at the foot of the dark hummock, but, so far as the eye could see across the desolate brown moor, no human being was in sight. Nothing moved save last year's heather, played upon by a low-flying wind.

When she was within a hundred yards of Satan's Thumb—the great rock fallen from Satan's Tor—Vivien paused. She wanted to see the play out, and this was as good a point of vantage as any other. So she lay down in the heather, resting her elbows on the earth, her chin in her palms, and began to watch.

But time passed on, and nothing happened, except that the man sprang angrily to his feet, stared round in every direction, and finally sat sulkily down again, only to repeat the same process over and over, as his furious impatience grew.

For two hours this went on, until at last, as the sky began to darken, with sunset the man came striding back towards Vivien, still reeling on her bed of heather.

"I'll not wait longer!" he exclaimed savagely. "For the first time the girl has dared to play false; but she shall pay for it, I swear."

"I thought part of the understanding was that you were not to be aware of her hiding place," said Vivien, sitting up and embracing her knees.

"So long as she was faithful; but she always knew well enough that there was no escape for her, or don't you think she would have escaped if she could? She was as sure as of her life, that if she tried any tricks I would find her out and punish her in a way to cost her dear. It will be easier to do that in such a place than it has ever been yet, unless I am greatly mistaken. Now, I am going back to the inn; and it's only a question of time, and a short time—before I ungrasp her. Pooh! She's like an ostrich who thinks to hide by burying her head."

Vivien did not answer; but as she turned her face towards Mallery-Tavy again, following on at a distance as before, she asked herself a question. Had the first failure of that girl to keep the trust any connection with Jim Breakspear's presence on Dartmoor?

Thomas Truro and his middle-aged



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sister, who had come from Cornwall to Dartmoor and New-Take Farm, had begun life at their new home in apparent willingness to be as sociable as the location of the position would admit. Truro had driven his sister into Mallery-Tavy to do a little shopping once or twice a week and had himself paid occasional visits to the Coach and Horses, which was practically the village club. But, before the pair had been at New-Take Farm for three months, a notable change had come over them. Miss Elizabeth Truro came no more to the shops of Mallery-Tavy (she had never been to church there) while her brother, whose visits suddenly became much less frequent, announced at the Coach and Horses that she was not well enough for excursions. When the landlord's daughter offered to go out to the farm, however, and pay a visit of sympathy, Truro, though thanking her kindly, discouraged the idea. His sister was not much of a hand for visitors, and now that she wasn't quite what she had been, she was so slow with her work that most of her time was occupied about the house.

New-Take Farm was not a large domain, and Truro, having discharged a "hand" who had come to him from Mallery-Tavy, and imported a youth from Cornwall, managed the farm work himself with only this assistance. Nobody visited the brother and sister in their lonely homestead, and they would almost have been forgotten, had they not continued to be good customers of the village tradesmen. Thomas being some times quite extravagant in his purchases. If they had been persons of a different sort, this change in the tenants of New-Take Farm might have been regarded in the light of a mystery by the people of Mallery-Tavy, only five miles away, have aroused lively curiosity; and inspired amateur detectives. But, somehow, not the most imaginative minds could associate mystery with the Truros. Thomas was a little, insignificant fellow, as much like a grey rat as a man; Elizabeth was a common-place, red-faced woman, whose whole conversation was of the kitchen. Therefore, the eccentricities of the pair failed to excite interest; the villagers had not particularly wanted them in their midst, and did not miss them when they were seen less than at first.

The explanation of the change, however, would have surprised and surprised even in Mallery-Tavy by the ears. On night when the Truros had been at New-Take Farm for rather less than three months, a knock had come at the door under the porch with the parvise. Thomas had risen from supper to answer it, and, peering into the darkness, hardly lighted by the flaring candle he had brought, had seen a pale young man with great black eyes, and a long, white face, framed with auburn hair.

"Do you take lodgers?" the new-comer asked, in a foreign-sounding voice, after a "good evening" had been spoken. Thomas replied that he never had done such a thing in his life, and did not care to begin now. It would not be worth his while, as there was plenty of work already for his sister, and they kept no servants in the house.

The young man's face showed disappointment, even in the uncertain light of the candle flickering in the farmer's hand. He had come a long way, he said, having been recommended to the place by a friend in London who had lodged at New-Take years ago, as being one of the loveliest spots in England. For him, that had been a recommendation. He preferred lonely places, and was willing to pay well if he could be accommodated to his fancy.

Thomas Truro began to hesitate, for he and his sister were partial to money. They had met with losses, too, which had driven them from a home they liked better than this. He was not used to foreigners, but he asked the stranger to step into the house and talk matters over.

In the living-room, which opened off a square, stone-paved hall of no great dimensions, matters had been talked over, with Miss Truro admitted into the conference. It turned out that the young man with auburn hair (who said his name was Michael Dupont, and that he was studying to be a surgeon in a London hospital) did not want lodgings for himself, but for two relatives of his, one of whom was an invalid, with a fancy for living a life of isolation as absolute as was humanly possible. Mad? Oh, not at all. An old man, very learned, but an eccentric genius who must be humored.

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sonable for food, firing, and other extras. No doubt Mr. Truro might count on making seven or eight pounds a week clear profit out of his guests. If he accepted them, the only stipulation they would make being that their residence at New-Take Farm should not be noised abroad.

The old gentleman, whose name also was Dupont, was a writer of scientific books which had made him celebrated. People had a vulgar desire to see him and his daughter; journalists had often attempted to break in upon his privacy, and, being a recluse at heart, he desired to insure himself against intrusion. His wish was to find a home in the wilds of Dartmoor for at least a year, possibly much longer.

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### Y.M.I.R.

A strike of considerable importance has been made in the east drift on the 400-foot level at the Ymir mine. The exact extent of the strike is not yet known, but sufficient rich ore has already been exposed to warrant the commencement of special shipments in the early state. The ore in question is a rich galena and zinc blende, and is reported to run over \$100 per ton. At present it appears in the form of a pocket about five feet wide in the hanging wall side of the drift, and crosscuts are now being run to determine its exact extent. The ore as broken down is being sacked up and shipped straight to the smelter.

### ROSSLAND.

The Rossland branch of the Provincial Mining Association gave a very nice little dinner on Wednesday night at the Lancaster in honor of the executive of the association, which has just concluded an interesting and highly important session here. J. A. Macdonald occupied the chair. After the loyal toast, Chairman Macdonald proposed "Our Guests," coupling the names of President John Keen, of the Provincial Mining Association, and W. M. Brown. In reply Mr. Keen briefly reviewed the work of the association and predicted a great future for it and the country if it closely adhered to the aims for which it was originally created. He urged the extending of every effort to increase the membership and aid to its support, and prophesied that the association will have a membership of 10,000 by the end of the present year. Mr. Howse endorsed all that Mr. Keen had to say about the aims and usefulness of the association. Mr. Howse declared that the Nicola and Similkameen districts would astonish the world if they had better transportation facilities. Mr. Brown, of Revelstoke, followed in a similar strain, and gave some important information concerning the needs of the marvellously rich country of Revelstoke. A. S. Good-ewich then proposed "The Province," to which Messrs. C. H. Mackintosh and E. B. Kirby replied. The ex-governor predicted great things for British Columbia in the near future. Mr. Kirby said it was difficult to overestimate the benefits and usefulness of the Provincial Mining Association. Its effect was already apparent in the government of the country, and he believed that the salvation of British Columbia rested largely with the efforts of the association. T. G. Proctor proposed "The City of Rossland," and Mayor Dean and C. O. Lalonde made very suitable replies.

A drowning accident occurred on Sunday evening two miles west of the city, resulting in the death of E. W. Grier, a young man of 20, a watchmaker and engraver. The deceased, with J. G. Bunyan, were rowing across the river at some rapid when the boat upset. They both clung to it for a time and then started to swim for shore, which Bunyan succeeded in reaching, although utterly exhausted. Grier evidently was overwhelmed in the rough water, and the body carried down over the falls a few miles below, as no trace of it or the boat have been found. S. Taylor, K.C., started a rescue party, which searched the banks of the river Sunday night for several hours without success. They started to return to the city on a handcar, when it jumped the track. Two of the party, including Mr. Taylor, are now at the hospital. Mr. Taylor's injuries are not serious, and it is expected that he will be out in a day or two.

### NELSON.

L. P. Hornerberg, who has been superintending operations on the north fork of the Salmon placers, came in on Wednesday on his way east for a short trip, returning to the camp in about ten days. Owing to an unexpected flow of water it has been found necessary to shut down work for a few days till machinery now on the ground can be installed to handle it. The property is in splendid shape in every other respect, and as soon as the difficulty has been overcome work will be continued with an increased force. Early last week digging penetrated to bedrock, which was reached at a depth of 22 feet, and the gravel encountered there was richer even than anticipated. The lower strata running \$15 to the cubic yard. The work of diverting this new flow of water is expected to prove difficult, and when it is accomplished, some big returns are expected. Some of the gravel ran as high as forty cents to the pan, and if the area proves extensive, as there is every reason to anticipate it will, it will lead to an immense impetus in placer mining all along the north fork of the Salmon.

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Justice Sewell, of the Supreme court, New York, has signed an order granting certificate of reasonable doubt in the case of Samuel Perks, the walking delegate who is now in Sing Sing, having been convicted of a charge of extortion, pending appeal proceedings, and ordered his release in \$10,000 bail. Assemblyman Butler, who was in court, stated that former Chief of Police William S. Devery, would furnish bail for Perks.

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NOTICE.  
RE HENRY GAYDON, LATE OF VICTORIA, B. C., DECEASED.  
All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are required to send particulars thereof, and all parties indebted to the said estate to pay the amount of their indebtedness, and any person having any property or debts belonging to the said estate are requested to send the same to the undersigned within one month from the date hereof.  
Dated this 17th day of August, 1903.  
J. F. WALLIS,  
14 Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C.  
Solicitor for Joseph Wrigleyworth, the Executor of the Will.

## The Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company.

Notice is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, B. C., on Saturday, the fifth day of September, 1903, at 8.30 p. m., for the purpose of considering the passing of a resolution authorizing the Directors to raise such moneys as may be thought advisable by the issue of bonds, debentures or other securities.  
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of August, 1903.  
By order,  
JAMES JEFFREY, Secretary.

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Local Licensing Commission at their next sitting for a transfer to the "West End Grocery Co., Ltd." of the bottle license for wines and liquors to sell by retail on the premises, 42 Government street, and formerly held under the firm name of Erskine, Wall & Co.  
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of August, 1903.  
C. F. TOLLOD,  
Assignees Erskine, Wall & Co.  
Victoria, August 1st, 1903.

## NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Wellington Railway Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.  
CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

## NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.  
CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

## NOTICE.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the west by the Strath of Georgia, on the north by the 56th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.  
LEONARD H. SOLLY,  
Land Commissioner.

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of John Davenport, Deceased, Intestate, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.  
Notice is hereby given that under an order made by the Honourable the Chief Justice, dated 7th day of August, 1903, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me, on or before the 7th day of September, 1903, and all parties indebted thereto are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.  
WM. MONTGOMERY,  
Official Administrator.  
Victoria, B. C., August 10th, 1903.

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ON AN EARLY DATE.  
Forty-one Crates of Earthenware, ex Leicester Castle, now discharging cargo at the Outer Docks. From Thos. Hughes & Sons, of Staffordshire, England. Catalogues will be ready in a few days.  
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# AUCTION.

Under instructions from Mr. Monteth, public administrator, I will sell at my rooms, 77-79 Douglas street,  
**FRIDAY, SEPT. 4TH, 2 P.M.**  
Estate of the late Gilbert Robinson.

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—ALSO—  
Estate of the late George W. Saucier.

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DETERMINED SUICIDE.  
Man Threw Himself in Front of Electric Car Near Seattle.

Seattle, Aug. 31.—L. Tryon, a racehorse man, who has been employed about the Meadows during the racing season, threatened suicide all day yesterday, and then himself in the path of an interurban train at the Meadows switch about 9:30 last night.

The motorman, in the bright glow of the searchlight on the car, saw him rise up suddenly from beside the track and hurl himself across the rails. Despondency is believed to have caused the act of self-destruction.

The suicide was about 28 years of age and has relatives in Sacramento, Cal., which is thought to be his home.

He had been drinking during the day, and declared he intended to end his life. Later in the evening the despondent man wandered out along the interurban track. There he was seen by the crews of passing trains, and the fact that a drunken man was hanging about the switch was reported to the train dispatcher. The fact also was communicated to Conductor Adams, of the freight train which left the Seattle yards shortly after 9 o'clock.

The speed of the electric train was reduced, as it approached the Meadows switch, because of the report, and the motorman, it is said, was running slowly when he passed the spot.

But the swiftness with which Tryon threw himself before the cars and under the rails prevented the saving of his life. He was instantly killed, though his body was not badly crushed.

**KILLED BY DESPERADOES.**  
Clerk and Motorman Shot Dead—Robbers Made Off With \$3,000.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Without a word of warning Frank Stewart, assistant clerk, and J. R. Johnson, motorman, were killed and two others wounded by hold-up men at the barns of the Chicago City Railway Company, sixty-first and State streets, yesterday.

The shooting was done by three men who escaped after securing \$3,000.

The robbers took no chances, but disposed of all opposition of the employees before they entered the office. Choosing the time when employees were busily engaged in balancing up the receipts of the night, just after the last conductor had turned in his money and left the building, the robbers suddenly appeared at the receiving window and began shooting without warning. The first bullet struck Stewart, and he fell to the floor without a word. Two others, who were sitting near Stewart, turned to see what was the matter, but before they could leave their chairs they were rendered helpless by bullets of the robbers.

Johnson, the motorman, who had been asleep on a bench in the outer office, started up to go to the assistance of his companions, but was shot and killed before he could get on his feet.

Making sure that all opposition had been removed, the robbers then broke open the door of the cashier's office, with a sledge hammer and took from the desk \$3,000 in bills.

**TWO STRIKERS DROWNED.**  
Bellevue, O., Aug. 30.—During a disturbance today between the striking machinists and those still working, Fred Williams, a non-union man, was pursued by strikers. Williams, while flourishing his revolver, ran onto the ferry-boat. The gangway broke and two of his pursuers were drowned.

## CLOSE SEASON QUESTION.

Reply of Minister of Fisheries to Mr. Earle in the House of Commons.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—T. Earle asked today what the department of marine and fisheries intended doing in respect to the application of the canners on the Fraser river for the stopping of fishing for two weeks.

Hon. Mr. Prefontaine said that Mr. Earle was away on the spawning grounds, and he did not wish to do anything definite until his return on account of the divergence of opinion between canners and fishermen. Even the canners were not all favorable.

Mr. Earle said there was no doubt the canners' request should be granted.

A Vancouver special says: "Official information reached Vancouver today that the salmon have reached the spawning grounds up the Fraser in large numbers, and the fish are beginning to spawn as in other years. Last week the spawn was too immature, and that was the principal reason, apparently, why alarm was felt because spawning had not commenced."

**ENTERTAINING MR. ROOT.**  
Will Pay a Visit to Lord Roberts and Chief Justice Alverstone.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Sept. 1.—War Secretary Root, of the Alaskan boundary commission, has accepted an invitation to be the guest of Lord Roberts on Thursday night at the latter's country home in Surrey. On Sunday the secretary will visit Chief Justice Alverstone at his country place, which is also in Surrey. Mr. Root, the British war secretary, has asked Mr. Root to be his guest for three days during the army maneuvers.

Henry White, secretary of the United States embassy, will not be secretary of the joint commission. The secretary will be selected from the foreign office, and will probably be Sir Eric Barryton or F. H. Villiers.

**GOING TO OTTAWA.**  
Objects of Visit of Vancouver's Mayor and City Solicitor.

(Special to the Times.)  
Vancouver, Sept. 1.—Mayor Neelands and City Solicitor Hamersley are going to Ottawa this week to protest against the plans and requested grants of the Great Northern local managers in connection with the line coming into the city, and against the application of the Royal City mill owners for several acres of False Creek shore opposite the end of Canal street, which the city claims.

**LORD ROBERTS**  
Compelled to Alter His Plans and He Will Not Visit America This Autumn.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Sept. 1.—Although Lord Roberts is still booked to sail for Boston on the Mayflower on September 23rd, it cannot now be definitely stated that he is not going to the United States this autumn. The alteration of his plans was necessitated by the postponement of the British maneuvers until the middle of September, and the situation in Somalia.

**IRON AND STEEL.**  
Conference of Institute Opens at Barrow-in-Furness.

(Associated Press.)  
Barrow-in-Furness, Eng., Sept. 1.—The autumn conference of the Iron and Steel Institute opened here today, under the presidency of Andrew Carnegie.

Letter from the Secretary of the Cobden Club to Colonial Secretary.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Sept. 1.—A recent letter of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain to a correspondent saying it was not necessary to answer the criticism of the Cobden Club, "which appears mainly to be supported by foreigners whose interest it is that we should maintain our present system of free imports," has called out a sharp retort from the club in an open letter to Mr. Chamberlain characterizing his statement as "grossly inaccurate."

The letter rebuked the Colonial Secretary that he was for many years a member of the club, and that he is therefore perfectly well aware that the foreign members thereof were only elected with the object of encouraging the free trade movement in other countries, and that they have no voice in controlling the policy of the club.

The letter concludes with saying now that Mr. Chamberlain has been repudiated of these facts, unless he immediately and publicly withdraws his statement, "it can only be concluded that it is part of your plan of campaign to try to create prejudice against your opponents by means of statements you know to be untrue."

The letter is signed by Harold Cox, secretary of the Cobden Club.

General Giovanni is dead at Sedan, after an illness lasting two days. The general distinguished himself during the Franco-Prussian war in 1870. He went through the entire siege of Metz in 1870, commanded a regiment in Tonkin in 1884, and was promoted a general before the end of the campaign.

**THE AUTOCRAT OF THE HOME.**  
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# THE MOANA MADE A SPEEDY VOYAGE

ARRIVED AHEAD OF HER SCHEDULE TIME

Death of Dr. Waughop Aboard the Ship Early This Morning—Salmon Charters of Season.

The voyage of the R. M. S. Moana, which arrived here from Australia, the Fiji and Hawaiian Islands this afternoon, was one succession of speedy runs. The ship left Sydney on August 10th, Brisbane on the 12th, Suva on the 17th and Honolulu on the 25th, arriving here a full day ahead of schedule time. The most important incident on the whole voyage was the death of a Honolulu passenger, Dr. J. W. Waughop, who, with his wife and family, embarked at Honolulu. The death occurred from heart disease early this morning, and the remains were brought to land for burial.

The steamer had smooth weather during the greater part of her voyage. The ship carried a distinguished number of passengers. Among them were T. V. Nathan, of Cooper, Nathan & Co., Sydney; H. Hibbert, of Cameron, Saunders & Co., of London; Vincent Dowling, of Auckland; Alderman McMahon and Mrs. McMahon, of Petreham; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, Harvey Armstrong, Major Holman, lately of His Excellency Sir Harry Rawson's staff; R. Boyle, Major Straker, Lady Mary Cooke, Lady Sybil Tollemache, Dr. and Mrs. Findlay and party, Mrs. Tuxford and Henry Pope.

**BIG MERGER RUMORED.**  
"A rumor is going the rounds that the time is not far distant when the several steamship lines operating from Puget Sound will form a merger, with J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern railway, as the controlling spirit," says the Portland Journal. "It will be formed, the rumor says, just so soon as Hill's mammoth steamships are brought from the Atlantic Coast, where one of them was launched two months ago. Seattle will be the headquarters of the merger, and the object of the promoters will be to control all transportation on the Pacific Coast and with the Orient."

Included in the projected merger, it is said, are the Great Northern Steamship Company, the Northern Pacific Steamship Company, the Puget Sound Navigation Company and the Alaska Steamship Company. The name of the new concern will probably be the Northern Steamship Company. Comprised in the merger will be all the principal lines on the Coast excepting the Portland-Adelaide line, the Oregon Railway & Navigation steamers and the Pacific Mail Company of San Francisco.

The merger, it is said, points to reduced rates to a point that will make competition impossible. The Harriman interests, it is said, will make a desperate fight for business. Freight rates to China and Japan are now down to an unprofitable figure—only \$3 a ton on flour and \$4 on wheat—but if the proposed merger becomes a reality, it is said, they will again decline. One of the principal objects of the merger is to draw as much shipping as possible away from San Francisco to Puget Sound.

**ONLY QUARTETTE ENGAGED.**  
Inasmuch as there has been a short pick of salmon on the Fraser and on the northern rivers, shippers say that there will be no salmon charters for the export of the fish this year. Only four are reported to have been engaged, and even with this small tonnage it is doubtful, according to some, whether all will be able to complete their cargoes with salmon alone. The Commodore Llewellyn, Vincent and Macgregor, and one other are said to compose the quartette. Of these only one is in port, the Commodore Llewellyn, which is now in Esquimaux.

**MARINE NOTES.**  
The new light on Mary Island will shortly be in operation. The station, which is in course of construction, is nearing completion, and it will be of great service to navigators having to traverse northern waters during dark wintry nights. The D. G. S. Quadra, with Capt. Gaudin, the local agent of marine and fisheries on board, will visit the station before her return. She is now at Nanaimo, and on her way south will call at Vancouver.

The Boston Steamship Company's steamship Shawmut, which has been undergoing repairs at Morris' shipyards, Seattle, for several weeks, being fitted with passenger accommodations, has gone to the Puget Sound navy yard, and work will now begin overhauling the Trenton. As soon as she comes off the drydock the Shawmut will go to Tacoma to load for her next voyage to the Orient and Manila, being scheduled to sail on September 20th.

Among the passengers leaving here for San Francisco on the steamer Umbria this evening are Miss Gallagher, Miss Howard, Miss Lombey, Mrs. L. V. Robertson, Miss Claxton, Francis Budgett and wife, F. L. Fairchild, H. Chase, W. J. Whalen, Mrs. L. J. Kin and Miss L. T. Smith.

The American schooner Erie has received about half her cargo of props out of Albert Head. She is loading for Seattle. Head, on account of W. A. Ward, of this city, and the poles are being cut close to the water's edge in the Metcosh district.

At a recent meeting of the executive it was decided to change Children's Day from Wednesday to Thursday. As the fair will open on October 6th, the admission will be reduced to a nominal figure for children on the third day of the exhibition.

Shipping papers announce the charter of the British ship Calmar to land at Hastings mills for Calmar. The ship was chartered in England.

Under instructions from the marine and fisheries department, the launch Kootenay yesterday afternoon replaced

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

A small buoy on Twin Sisters' rocks, in the channel leading up the Arm. The old buoy had been missing for some days.

Steamer Otter did not get away for Skagway as expected last night, having been delayed in loading the big freight offering for shipment on her. She will carry in all over 300 tons from this port.

The steamship Queen arrived from the Golden Gate last night with a big list of passengers and a considerable freight. Steamer Boscowitz sails to-morrow (Wednesday) night, instead of Tuesday, as announced.

The association is advertising for tenders for privileges at the forthcoming show.

R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Yokohama from Victoria yesterday.

# ONE THOUSAND KILLED.

Bulgarian Insurgents Suffered Terrible Loss in a Recent Conflict With Turkish Troops.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Sept. 1.—The Times correspondent at Sofia bears that the rising in Northern Macedonia was to be proclaimed last night. Prince Ferdinand, he says, had a long interview at Constantza with the Roumanian premier, Senator Sturdza, yesterday before embarking on the Bulgarian gunboat at Kustendji for Burgas.

Compelled to Flee.  
Salonica, Aug. 30.—The Bulgarian insurgents sustained a severe reverse at Smilovo on Friday, one thousand of them being killed.

The insurgents to the number of 3,000 occupied a position on a height which was stormed by six battalions of Turkish troops commanded by Seret Pasha. After losing 1,000 of their number the Bulgarians fled in the face of the heavy Turkish artillery fire. The Turkish losses were insignificant.

Another Fight.  
Constantinople, Sept. 1.—Official reports say that 300 insurgents were killed or wounded during the fighting which occurred last week in the village of Monastir.

The Porte has sent a memorandum to the Austrian and Russian ambassadors pointing out that at a recent mass meeting of Macedonians in Sofia it was decided to send fresh bands into Macedonia, and also calling attention to the fact that the committees in Bulgaria were supplying the insurgents with arms and ammunition by means of ships, which land their cargoes on the coast in the vicinity of Imbros.

Official Dispatch.  
Washington, Sept. 1.—The first official dispatch coming directly from Beyrout, regarding the Magelsen affair, has been received by Secretary Hay. It is dated August 21st and is signed by Consul Ravndal. It says: "The attempt on Magelsen's life failed utterly. A narrow escape, but the vice-consul suffered no injury."

Turkey's Explanation.  
Constantinople, Sept. 1.—The Porte has notified United States Minister Leishman that five arrests have been made in connection with the shooting which led to the report of William C. Magelsen, the United States vice and deputy consul had been assassinated. The officials continue to insist that no attempt was made on the life of the consul, and they assert that the whole story originated in a few de jour fired on the occasion of a native marriage in accordance with the custom. Mr. Leishman, however, refuses to accept such an explanation without conclusive proof. The judicial investigation continues.

The attempt to burn the American college at Kharpout occurred five weeks ago, and apparently was the work of an individual who thought he had a grievance against the college authorities. When Mr. Leishman was informed of the attempt, he demanded that the Porte protect the institution, and in consequence of his representations instructions were sent to the authorities at Kharpout to try, in the regular courts, fifty Americans accused of trafficking in arms and smuggling other sedition goods. Among the accused is Prof. Tenekedjian, of the American college,



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